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- 1. EMBASSY TRANSMITTED ON FEBRUARY 7 AIRGRAM ENTITLED CHANGES IN INDONESIA'S INVESTMENT CLIMATE AND SENT INDIVIDUAL COPIES AIRMAIL TO EA/IMS AND COMMERCE AFTER MISSION REPRODUCTION COMPLETED FEBRUARY 18.
- 2. DURING CLOSE CONTINUOUS MONITORING OF INVESTMENT SITUATION, EMBASSY FINDS NO INSTANCES OF US FIRMS UNDER GOI PRESSURE FOR NEAR-TERM ACHIEVEMENT OF 51 PCT OWNERSHIP. WE UNDERSTAND WHOLLY-OWNED FIRMS AND THOSE ESTABLISHED PRIOR TO 1967 ARE SUBJECT TO 51 PCT POLICY BUT ONE TERMS AS YET UNDEFINED. NO ESTABLISHED FIRMS HAVE INDICATED CONCERN TO US OVER THIS POLICY; PROBLEM IS OBTAINING GUIDANCE ON IMPLEMENTATION. VARIOUS US FIRMS HAVE HAD HIGHLY INCONCLUSIVE DISCUSSIONS WITH INVESTMENT AUTHORITIES.HOWEVER AS REF B EMPHASIZES, MANY KEY QUESTIONS REMAIN UNANSWERED. EMBASSY EFFORTS TO LEARN LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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ANSWERS OR WHEN THEY MAY BE FORTHCOMING PRODUCE NO

CLARIFICATION. . AS STATED LAST TRENDS REPORT, PAGE 10 (REF C), IT WILL TAKE MANY MONTHS FOR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS TO RESOLVE PRACTICAL QUESTIONS OF IMPLEMENTATION. WE WIL BE SURPRISED IF MUCH PROGRESS IS MADE IN 1975. GOVERNMENT HAS REPEATEDLY STATED INTENT TO IMPLEMENT POLICY GRADUALLY, FLEXIBILITY AND WITHOUT DISRUPTING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

3. REGRET THAT WORKLOAD, OFFICER ABSENCES AND HEAVY VISITORS SCHEDULE PROCLUDE EARLIER COMPLETION REF B. NEWSOM

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